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- Ladies' cambric hemstitched embroidered Handkerchiefs, 15c quality, 10c.
- Ladies' cambric hemstitched embroidered Handkerchiefs, 20c quality, 15c.
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- Ladies' pure linen embroidered hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 20c quality, 15c.
- Ladies' warranted all linen initial Handkerchiefs, 20c kind, 15c; or one-half dozen handsomely boxed for 75c.
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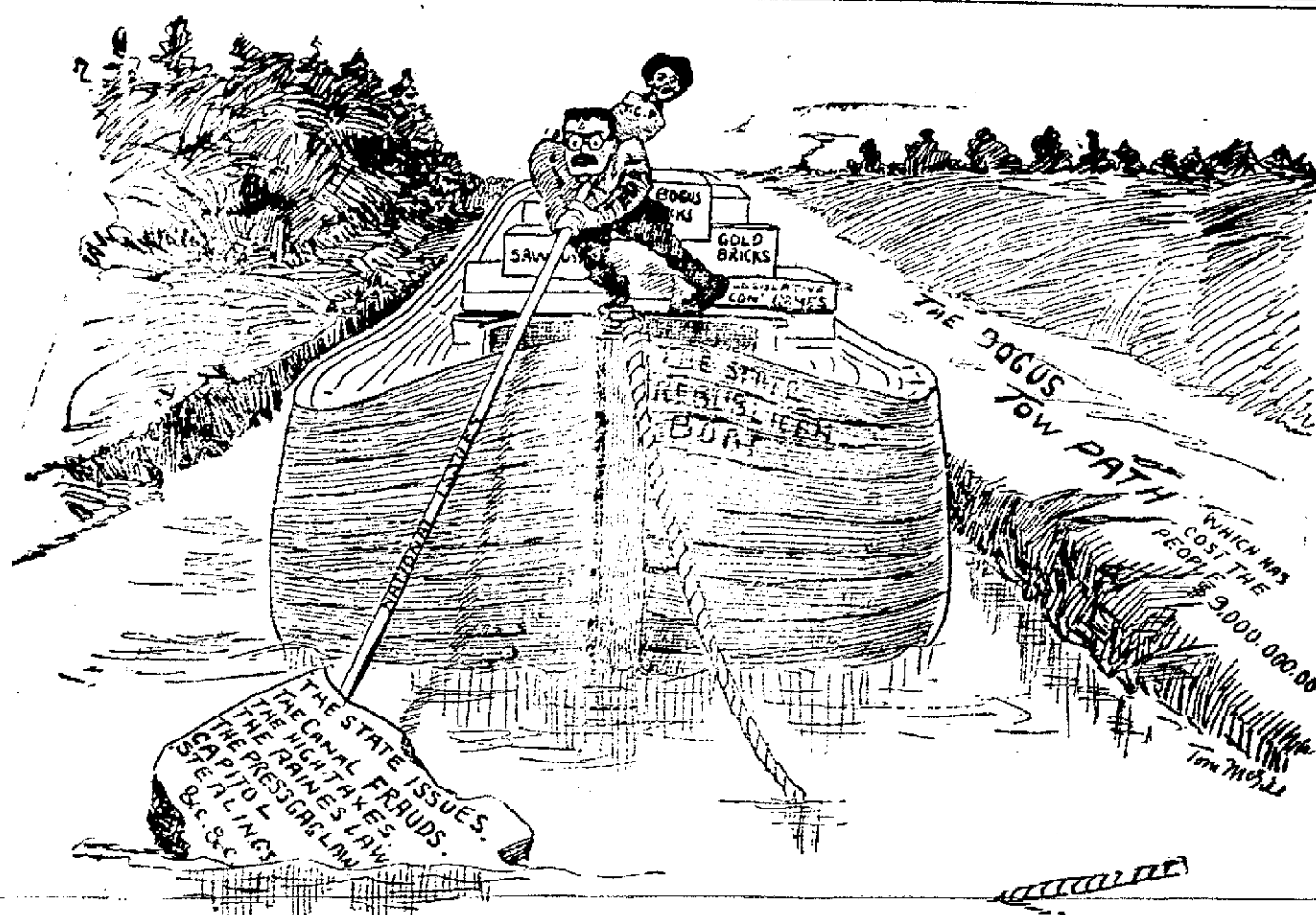
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## CAN THEY GET AROUND IT?

### SITUATION AT PARIS

A Review of the Philippine Question.

### NO AMERICAN GREED FOR TERRITORY

The State of Affairs in Luzon Makes American Possession a Necessity—A Division of the Islands Impossible.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—Last Monday the United States and Spanish peace commissioners left the definite limitations of the protocol and entered upon the wide field of diplomacy, where an open question is to be decided. Both commissions realize that the area is ample enough for some maneuvering, though on the American side the tendency is to evolve much more compact than those of the Spaniards. Both would undoubtedly be gratified to reach a mutual conclusion without compulsion.

At Monday's joint session the American commissioners laid down a proposition in two parts: First, that the United States should take over the Philippines entire; second, that in so doing they should reimburse to Spain the sum of her permanent and pacific expenditure in the Philippines. The logic of the situation compelled the Americans to make the first move.

Having heard the American proposition, the Spaniards might have immediately declined it, as they certainly will do at today's session. Whether they will accompany the refusal with a counter proposition has not been definitely ascertained, though at a late hour last evening that course seemed improbable. The result will be that the commissions will retire from confronting positions until one or the other shall have reformed its lines for the next meeting, which will probably occur next week. If the Spanish commissioners entertain a hope that after the elections in the United States the American commissions will relax their demands as to the Philippines, they have not uttered it here for the public ear, nor has anything been said for done by any member of the United States commission to warrant such a hope.

The American commissioners came to Paris with no greed for the Philippine territory per se. To an unofficial bystander the question with them has seemed to be rather to find the right path and to walk in it, than by a bold use of power to wrench the utmost advantage from a distressed opponent.

The fact is the commissioners have felt that the conditions precedent render the letting go of the Philippines as difficult as their retention. There is, for instance, the question of the future of Aguinaldo, his chiefs and followers. The Philippine leader and his immediate associates in the insurrection accepted exile and over \$500,000 at the hands of Spain as an inducement to cease their rebellion. They went to China, but they were brought back to the Philippines on board a United States warship. Aguinaldo received from Admiral Dewey several thousand stands of arms and was put ashore as an ally of the United States in the war against Spain.

The insurgent leader and his chiefs have forfeited their lives. Should the United States return the Philippines to Spain, Aguinaldo and his fighting followers must be surrendered to death or taken away by the United States, and the American commissioners feel that transplanting them would be as severe toward them as it would be impracticable from the point of view of the United States. Territory to shelter them is felt necessary in the Philippines.

The entire group might not be necessary for this purpose. Should, then, the United States retain Luzon as their place of refuge? To do this would be to take the most valuable portion of the archipelago, an act which might furnish a basis for the dual charge of greed in taking the best and of cowardice in evading responsibility for the remainder. The American commissioners have been unwilling to place the United States in such a position.

Again, there arose the pregnant question of undesirable neighbors. Should only Luzon be taken. An aggressively

disposed power might acquire Mindoro, which is almost within cannon shot of Luzon, and thus create a most difficult situation. Could then a wiser division of the islands be made?

Pursuing this inquiry, the most feasible division seemed to be Luzon, Mindoro and Palawan, forming a chain free of neighbors on the western boundary, but so closely tangled on the eastern side as to make impossible a line of geographical division at once equitable and safe.

The American commissioners have not been unmindful of the fact that circumstances, partially of their shaping, had imposed upon the United States a constructive responsibility for the Philippines and that either this must be forsaken or a larger one assumed.

They have believed, too, that before the nations of the world the United States have assumed the higher responsibility of the stable control of the entire group, and with a sense of specific and general obligation they felt compelled to propose to take over all.

On the question of the Spanish debt, by whatever name known, the American commissioners seem to take broader ground than the mere question of dollars. It is evident they do not favor coupling any power in debt responsibilities. They seem inclined to direct adjustments on the plain basis of facts and equities. Whether the war ledgers of Spain and the United States are to be balanced in the present negotiations does not appear, but the Americans face the situation open eyed and with minds free to any argument based upon justice to Spain and fair treatment of their own national interests.

It is learned from Spanish sources, beyond question authentic, that before the Philippine question is settled the Spanish commissioners will declare that they are not here solely to save or to gain all the money possible from the United States. Senator Montero Iltos, president of the Spanish commission, and his colleagues, waiving for argument any classification of the Spanish or colonial debts, will point out that Spain has borrowed on the collateral of her colonial revenue. They will concede that the national guarantee may have been added, but that for all the purposes of this contention the fact is irrelevant.

It will then be frankly urged by her commissioners that Spain has pawned the revenues of the Philippines and of Cuba, that she did so in good faith to her creditors, and, that being true, that she has no moral right to give away or hypothecate territory already pledged.

Senator Iltos will urge that should Spain take that course her creditors might fairly charge her with defrauding them to save for herself the Canaries, Carolines and Balearic Islands and to avoid possible damage to the peninsula. The Spanish commissioners will protest that such a transaction would be intolerable to Spain, as it would brand her as a robber and poltroon. They will declare to the Americans that rather than be so pilloried by their creditors they will, if they must, be deprived of their remaining colonies and suffer devastation of their mainland.

If the United States feels it a high duty to retain the Philippines, Spain's envoys will declare that she has an equally sacred duty in holding them to the pledge of their revenues in honor, and that, while possibly unable to make good the indebtedness in dollars, Spain can, if only by a fruitless adherence to high purposes, save her name from the brand of theft.

This statement of the Spanish contention comes from a source which gives it all the weight possible to any Spanish utterance, and in the presence of these conditions the two commissions will meet again tomorrow.

**Spanish Hysterics.**  
MADRID, Nov. 4.—The announcement of the intentions of the United States regarding the Philippines has greatly excited the public here. It is generally recognized, however, that it would be absolutely futile to appeal to Europe, which has abandoned Spain to her fate.

The newspapers protest vigorously against the "incredible cynicism and abuse of strength of the Americans." The ministerial El Globo exclaims: "Europe and America seem determined to sanction by cowardice and selfishness a crime that will be a blot upon the history of the century."

### PANAMA SAFE.

Put Into Havana—Spaniards Deliver Another Note.

HAVANA, Nov. 4.—The transport Panama, from Santiago, fears for whose safety had been entertained, arrived here yesterday morning.

She reached port at 9 o'clock and landed seven American passengers, including some military officers. She left Havana at about 10 a. m., her destination apparently being New York.

The Panama only remained long enough in port to land seven of her passengers. She proceeded on her trip north within an hour of reaching Havana.

The party landed includes Congressman John P. Dalzell, J. F. Stagle, E. M. Gross, L. R. Savage, Jr., C. F. Burghman, ex-Congressman George T. Hull and W. L. Howe. They have just visited Ponce, San Juan and Santiago. The Panama acted upon the orders of General Wood in landing the American travelers here. They expected to take the next Tampa boat on their way to Washington, but owing to the quarantine regulations they will have to stay here until Nov. 15. The Panama did not encounter any bad weather.

Secretary Giraudo of the Spanish commission delivered to the American commissioners last night a permit signed by General Parrado authorizing Engineer Menocal to visit the arsenal and machine shops and their dependencies to make an inspection and report upon their condition. Lieutenant Jose Rodan of the Spanish navy has been assigned to escort Engineer Menocal on his tour of inspection.

The steamers P. de Sastretegul and San Francisco sailed today for Gibara to embark the remaining troops of the Holguin division. The previous transportation arrangement has been found inadequate, necessitating additional vessels. The steamer Chateau Lafitte, which sailed for Spain on Wednesday via Gibara, carried 32 chief officers and 431 cases of military archives.

Captain Foraker, son of Senator Foraker, has entirely recovered, and Colonel Bliss is so much improved that he is sitting up in his room.

A Spanish military commission, headed by General Yaldorrama, left yesterday morning for Santiago province by way of Batabano, to remove the remains of General Vara del Rey, who was killed at El Caney, and General Santocildes, who was killed at the battle of Peralbojo and buried at Bayamo.

The commission will go afterward to Matanzas to remove the body of the Spanish soldier Eloy Gonzalo, the hero of the defense of Cascorro, near Camaguey, who died of fever at the Matanzas military hospital. His remains, with those of Generals Vara del Rey and Santocildes, will be sent to Spain for burial.

### Transport Chester at New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The United States transport Chester, Captain Dana, arrived at quarantine last night at 8:30 from San Juan, having on board the Fourth Ohio volunteer infantry, under the command of Colonel A. B. Colt, having left San Juan Oct. 27. On board the Chester are Colonel J. W. Pullman, chief quartermaster for the island of Porto Rico; Major J. C. Mullenberg, Major Jones, Major Doyen and Major Grant of the United States paymaster's department, who have been engaged in the payment of the troops on the island and, having completed their labors, are en route to Washington. The officers and men of the Fourth Ohio comprise 1,120 persons, and there are only three sick on board, who are convalescents of the regiment and are doing well. They speak well of their treatment on the voyage home. On Oct. 31, at 1:30 a. m., Private A. L. Vetter, Company K, Fourth Ohio volunteers, died of exhaustion from chronic dysentery. At noon on the 31st he was buried at sea with military honors.

### Florida Reserves Get the Wasp.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Secretary Long, on the application of the governor of Florida, has assigned to the use of the naval militia of that state the auxiliary steamer Wasp. She was originally assigned to the Illinois militia, but was found to be too large to pass through the canals connecting the lakes with the Atlantic.

## A STARTLING STORY

Did Marchand Promise Protection to the Khalifa?

SAID TO HAVE SENT FRENCH FLAGS

Damning Dispatches Alleged to Have Been Captured—Marchand at Cairo—Refuses to Be Interviewed—Admiralty Active.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A story of the greatest gravity, circulating last night among persons in touch with official quarters, alleges that when Marchand reached Fashoda he sent two messengers with three French flags to the khalifa and a letter saying if the khalifa hoisted these flags at Omdurman he would be under the protection of "the great French nation," and the British would not fire upon him.

The khalifa replied that two British "dogs" had attacked Sudan. One "dog" named Gordon had been killed, while the other "dog," named Kitchener, he was about to kill.

He would then wipe out the French. Both of these letters and the three flags are said to have been captured by the sirdar's officers.

If this be confirmed, it is obvious that public opinion here will be inflamed at the discovery of the fact that a French agent offered protection to the khalifa while the French government congratulated the British government on a victory for the sake of civilization.

### MARCHAND AT CAIRO.

French Commander Refuses to Be Interviewed.

CAIRO, Nov. 4.—Major Marchand, the commander of the French expedition at Fashoda, arrived here at 7 o'clock last evening.

He was met at the railroad station by the French officials and residents. The explorer looked thin and worried.

Only two Senegalese soldiers accompanied Major Marchand, whose future movements depend upon the instructions which Captain Baratier brings him tomorrow.

At the French agency it was formally announced that no one would be permitted to interview the French officer, as M. Delcasse, the French minister of foreign affairs, and the Marquis of Salisbury must be the first to "receive all news which may contribute to the harmony of the two countries."

The major reports that he left all his companions in good health, and he adds that they had abundant provisions and a plentiful supply of ammunition.

The French commander also expressed himself as being much gratified at the kindness shown him by the British officers during his journey to this place.

### Activity at Admiralty Office.

SHEFFIELD, England, Nov. 4.—At the annual feast of the master cutlers here last evening it was expected that the Right Hon. George J. Goschen, first lord of the admiralty, would be present as the principal guest.

Mr. Goschen, however, was unable to attend the banquet, and the chairman read the following letter of apology from him:

"It is absolutely impossible for me to leave the admiralty. My continuous presence there is essential. Sheffield will appreciate this in the present state of affairs. I am truly disappointed, but duty comes before pleasure."

### Helena Sails for China Station.

BOSTON, Nov. 4.—Shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon the United States gunboat Helena, Commander Swinburne, left the Charleston navy yard on her long voyage to the China station. Instead of following the route of the two battleships now on the way to the Pacific the Helena will reach her destination by way of the Mediterranean and Red seas. The light draft of the vessel, which makes her particularly useful in shallow channels, will make her voyage there a trifle unpleasant.

### Roosevelt at Troy.

TROY, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Troy, the home of Governor Frank S. Black, turned out thousands of people last night to greet Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. Rand's Opera House, where the mass meeting was held, was packed to the doors with 3,000 people as early as 7 o'clock, more than double that number were turned away. The streets were thronged with people, and Colonel Roosevelt's trip to the hall from Colonel Francis' house, where he had dined with Governor Black, was an ovation.

### Creek Indians Ratify Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The secretary of the interior received unofficial advices yesterday that the Creek Indian nation in Indian Territory has ratified the agreement reached between its commissioners and the Dawes Indian commission in the reorganization of Indian Territory.

### Colliers Reach Bahia.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—A cablegram received at the navy department last night announced the arrival at Bahia of the colliers Justus, Scandia and Sterling, so that Captain Barker has now in that harbor all of the squadron with which he sailed for Honolulu.

### Soldier Married in a Hospital.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 4.—While on a sick bed at the hospital in this city yesterday Captain V. L. Johnson of the Second Missouri was wedded to Miss Lucy Hatcher. Both are from Butler, Mo. The captain has been sick eight weeks, but is now improving.

### Large Order for Freight Cars.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 4.—The Baltimore and Ohio railroad has ordered 2,000 freight cars from the Missouri Car and Foundry company of St. Louis, making a total of over 25,000 that have been purchased in the past two years.



## A FUGITIVE RETURNS

Interesting Development In Pennsylvania Politics.

## KEYSTONE BANK SCANDAL REVIVED.

President Marsh, After Eluding Officers For Seven Years, Sees John Wanamaker's Appeal and Gives Himself Up—Forfeited Bond.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 4.—Gideon W. Marsh, the fugitive president of the Keystone bank, has answered the appeal made by Mr. John Wanamaker and surrendered yesterday. Marsh has been a fugitive since May 15, 1931, when he forfeited the bail of \$20,000, which had been entered by William H. Wanamaker, brother of John Wanamaker.

Marsh has been in the state of Washington for some time. He read Mr. John Wanamaker's speech and at once put himself in communication with friends and arranged for his return. He came to the city from New York yesterday morning and went straight to William H. Wanamaker's office, where he was closeted with Mr. Wanamaker until late in the afternoon.

At 3:45 o'clock Marsh was taken to the postoffice building, where he was handed over to the United States marshal and arraigned before United States Commissioner Bell.

The closing of the doors of the Keystone National bank on March 20, 1931, caused a profound sensation. A run had been made on the bank a few months prior to that date, but the crisis was averted and the public was taken by surprise when the failure became known. Subsequent investigation showed that the bank had been practically looted and that there was little left for depositors and other creditors. City Treasurer John Barsley had loaned to the bank several thousand dollars of the city funds, and on these loans he had been drawing interest for his own individual profit. Barsley was arrested, and his trial resulted in a sentence of 15 years' imprisonment in the Eastern penitentiary, several years of which he served. He was finally pardoned by the state board of pardons.

President Marsh and Cashier Charles Lawrence were placed under arrest on May 4, 1931, charged with conspiracy to make false entries in the books of the bank and the willful misapplication of its funds. When arraigned before United States Commissioner Bell they were held for a hearing on May 15. Both secured bondsmen and were released. Marsh induced William H. Wanamaker, brother of ex-Postmaster General John Wanamaker, to enter bail for him, which he did in the amount of \$20,000. On May 21, the day fixed for a final hearing, Lawrence appeared, but Marsh had fled. The bail furnished for his appearance was forfeited, and the entire amount of \$20,000 was paid to the clerk of the United States district court by William H. Wanamaker.

Since that date, it is said, Mr. Wanamaker has spent \$20,000 more to apprehend Marsh and bring him to trial. Lawrence was convicted and sentenced to seven years' imprisonment, which he served, less the commutation for good behavior.

Marsh managed to elude the officers of the law, who searched the entire country for him, and the detectives were even sent to points in South America, whence there had come reports that the fugitive had been seen. Even after the United States authorities had abandoned their search it was kept up by Marsh's bondsmen, but without success.

Not until last Wednesday did his bondsmen get an inkling of his whereabouts. Then a telegram to William H. Wanamaker's office stated that Marsh was at the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria, New York city, and would surrender to him in Philadelphia. Mr. Wanamaker, who was in Boston, was immediately advised, and he left that city for New York at once. It is understood that the fugitive and his bondsmen met in New York Wednesday night and the agreement was there reached for Marsh to come to Philadelphia yesterday and surrender to the authorities.

This programme was carried out without being recognized on the street. Marsh went direct to Mr. Wanamaker's office and later in the day, accompanied by his lawyer and Mr. Wanamaker, he proceeded to the office of United States District Attorney Beck and was committed to prison to await a hearing.

Marsh, in talking to friends who called on him in the United States marshal's office before he was taken to prison, said that in the more than seven years of his absence he had roamed almost over the whole world and worked for a living at anything he could get to do. When he left, he had with him \$1,335, which he had collected from two friends who owed him that amount. He went by a circuitous route to Brazil and afterward traveled from place to place all over the world. He then returned to America and eventually located in the state of Washington, where, he said, he had earned money at any kind of labor he could get. He said he often longed to come back to Philadelphia, but was deterred through a desire to protect his children from scandal. He felt that to return would revive a state of affairs that would be a scandal to his family. Mrs. Marsh, by the way, obtained a divorce from the fugitive about a year ago on the ground of desertion, she making affidavit that she had received no word from her husband since the day of his departure.

The name of the fugitive has frequently been mentioned in the utterances of speakers at political meetings in the present furiously fighting campaign, and Marsh has particularly been the subject of heated controversy between United States Senator Penrose and John Wanamaker.

In a speech a few weeks ago Senator Penrose intimated that John Wanamaker, prior to the failure of the Keystone bank, had knowledge of an over-issue of the bank's stock and knowledge of a demand made by President Marsh on City Treasurer Barsley for an additional deposit of city funds. He (Penrose) said it was the intent of Wanamaker that Marsh should not come back to Philadelphia. The senator said he had been in communication with Marsh and that the latter would probably soon come back and tell all he knew about the looting of the bank.

Mr. Wanamaker has been vigorously opposing the Republican state ticket and especially aiming to defeat the reelection of Senator Quay to the United States senate.

On Oct. 14, a few nights after the speech of Senator Penrose accusing Wanamaker of having inside knowledge of the Keystone bank's affairs, the latter delivered a speech at the Academy of Music. He denied Penrose's statements and called upon him to hasten the return of Marsh if the senator in any way could do so. He said he would like the truth to be told about Keystone bank matters and said none could clear up the affair better than Marsh himself.

In the course of his speech he said: "There is nothing that will please me so much as Marsh's return, and I welcome the reopening of every book and paper of the bank to public gaze, even as I did years ago. If my foes will bring this man, doubtless more sinned against than sinning, into court and he will tell the truth, I will use my utmost endeavor in securing all the leniency possible in his sentence, and after he has finished it I will aid him in re-establishing himself and his family in life. I publish this to the world, hoping he will see it wherever he is, and add to it that I have friends who will put in the hands of Quay, Penrose and Andrews whatever money is needed to pay the expenses of Marsh's return, as they seem to know where he is. One of them claims to have been in communication with him recently. If the poor man, who can yet redeem his life, who must have been crazed when he ran away (poor Hopkins unwisely killed himself under similar circumstances), will send me word where he is as soon as these words bear him the message of these dastardly assaults upon me, I will come to him to any part of the world and accompany him back."

## TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT

What the War Has Cost the United States Up to Date.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The treasurer of the United States, Ellis H. Roberts, has submitted to the secretary of the treasury his annual report on the transactions and condition of the treasury for the past fiscal year.

The net ordinary revenues of the government were \$100,321,335, an increase of \$67,597,639 over those of the previous year, while the net ordinary expenditures were \$443,368,562, an increase of \$77,394,423. The resulting deficiency of \$338,047,227 exceeds that of the preceding year by \$19,994,703.

Up to the close of the fiscal year the increase of the expenditures on account of the war with Spain was \$12,041,732 for the war department and \$24,262,433 for the navy department. For the four months of July, August, September and October, 1937, the expenditures of the war department were \$107,520,368, being \$51,613,131 greater than for those months in 1937. For the same months this year the navy department expended \$27,469,577, which was \$16,014,926 more than it spent in the like period in 1937. Up to Oct. 31 the war with Spain added to the disbursements of these two departments the sum of \$164,932,223.

## CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

A dispatch from Rome reports the pope as being ill.

The torpedo boat destroyer Farragut has made 36 knots an hour.

J. Goldschmidt, United States consul general at Berlin, died in that city.

The Bank of Commerce of Chicago has voted to go into voluntary liquidation.

General John M. Bacon said the Indians want no more fighting since the Bear lake campaign.

Charles S. Bulkeley, a member of a prominent Connecticut family, died almost penniless at Bellevue hospital.

The cruiser New York has been taking on stores at Tompkinsville for a long voyage, and sailing orders are looked for soon.

A new republic was born on Nov. 1, called the United States of Central America, composed of Nicaragua, Salvador and Honduras.

Rear Admiral Miller, who hoisted the stars and stripes over Hawaii, advocates the Nicaragua canal and first class battleships of high speed.

Investigating Bridge Accident.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Expert engineers investigating the cause of the recent collapse of the pier which allowed two sections of the New York and Ottawa railroad bridge to fall into the St. Lawrence river while in course of erection report that the pier was built on hardpan of insufficient strength to stand the great weight. A diamond drill operated in the bottom of the river at the base of the fallen pier bored through two feet of hardpan, then struck into muddy deposit of clay formation. Through this the drill sunk 14 feet without striking hard bottom. Further investigation is being made.

To Succeed Judge Van Wyck.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—Frederick A. Ward, a well known corporation lawyer down town, whose home is at 61 Remsen street, Brooklyn, has been appointed to succeed Judge Augustus Van Wyck on the supreme court bench in the Second district by Governor Black.

Mr. Ward, who is a candidate for the supreme court judgeship on the Republican ticket in the Second district, which comprises Kings county, running with Joe A. Johnson, will fill out Judge Van Wyck's unexpired term, serving until Jan. 1 next.

Red Shirt Parade In Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 4.—The first red shirt parade on horseback witnessed in Wilmington was held yesterday. It created enthusiasm among the whites and consternation among the negroes. The whole town turned out to see it, and hundreds of ladies waved flags and handkerchiefs as the long column of horsemen rode by. While the ladies frequently cheered, the parade was otherwise quiet and orderly. Not an insulting word was uttered to a negro.

General Lee's Mother Dead.

LICHMOND, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Ann Marie Lee, mother of General Fitz-Hugh Lee, died yesterday at the home of her son, Captain Daniel Lee, in Stafford county, from the result of a fall received several days ago. General Lee has left this city for Stafford. The funeral will be at Alexandria today.

McCulloch Now In Revenue Service.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—The revenue cutter McCulloch, now with Admiral Dewey's fleet at Manila, has been detached from the naval service and restored to the revenue cutter service. The McCulloch will be ordered to San Francisco.

## CUBAN LABOR TROUBLES.

"White Wings" at Santiago Strike For Higher Wages.

SANTIAGO, Nov. 4.—The Cubans who have been employed in cleaning and repairing the streets of Santiago have struck for higher wages, though they have been receiving \$1 a day or 50 cents and two rations—higher wages than they have ever before been paid for similar work.

In fact, local employers of labor have been complaining of this high rate, alleging that it was quite impossible for them to compete with the government on such terms. The Cuban laborers at the best are lazy and slipshod. They want an increase of 50 cents a day. General Leonard Wood absolutely refuses to accede to the demand and will adopt heroic measures if the strike is not promptly declared off.

The trouble is that many of the strikers have rations enough on hand to last a month or more, and they think they can coerce the United States authorities.

General Wood says he will arrest every laborer able to work and under a vagrancy law he will establish camps for him to work 30 days for rations while confined in jail. He dislikes the idea of importing labor, but believes that this must be the ultimate result.

Collector Donaldson returned from Gibara yesterday with \$40,000, customs receipts at that place. He reports that there is considerable smallpox in the neighborhood of Holguin, but no yellow fever.

Fifty-first Iowa Off For Manila.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The Fifty-first Iowa volunteers sailed yesterday afternoon for Manila on the transport Pennsylvania, having gone on board yesterday morning. Colonel Loper allowed some of his men to go to the dock by street cars, as they were slightly indisposed. The scene of departure was similar to those which have preceded it, and there were many friends of the departing soldiers at the dock to bid them goodbye. The City of Pueblo will sail on Saturday with the Kansas battalion and the Nevada cavalry, and the Newport will probably leave on next Tuesday with General Miller and his staff, five companies of the Tennessee regiment, the Wyoming Light battery and a part of the California Heavy artillery.

Van Wyck at Poughkeepsie.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Judge Augustus Van Wyck of Brooklyn, Democratic nominee for governor, addressed a large mass meeting in Colingwood Opera House here last night. The theater was packed just as it was when Theodore Roosevelt spoke there a few weeks ago. Seated upon the stage with Judge Van Wyck were Messrs. Hinkley, John B. Stanchfield of Elmira and Edward S. Atwater of Poughkeepsie, the Democratic nominees for comptroller.

Turkey Favorable to Our Suggestion.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A dispatch to The Standard from Vienna says that the suggestion of the United States to the porte that their mutual representatives be raised to the rank of ambassadors has been well received and that official negotiations on the subject will be shortly opened. The dispatch adds that it is unknown why a similar proposal which was received by Austria has not yet been acted upon.

Schoolteacher Kills Two Men.

LIVINGSTON, Ky., Nov. 4.—John Meadows shot and killed John and Clayton Matthews, brothers, at Pineville, this county, Wednesday. Meadows was a schoolteacher. He surrendered and is now in jail. Fagan, the most prominent witness, was found dead yesterday in his storeroom, where he slept for years. The indications are that he was murdered, and the coroner is holding an inquest.

Negro Mutiny Quelled.

KNOXVILLE, Nov. 4.—There has been no further trouble among the colored soldiers. Anticipating another outbreak on the part of the Sixth Virginia regiment, which mutinied on account of appointment of white officers, the commandant of Camp Polk, Kentucky, sent regiments under arms all night. The Sixth Virginia drilled yesterday under its new officers.

Princeton Center Chosen Missionary.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 4.—At a mass meeting held here yesterday Robert Galley, the center rush of the Princeton '96 football eleven, was elected to represent Princeton in foreign missionary fields. This election is held annually. Galley is now with the Chinese inland mission in the Manchurian interior.

Charleston Goes to Hilo.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Admiral Dewey has cabled the navy department here that the Charleston has sailed from Manila for Hilo, on the island of Panay. This is the last seat of Spanish power of any account in the Philippines. The dispatch boat Zafra has arrived at Hongkong.

Captain Clark Honored.

MONTPELLIER, Vt., Nov. 4.—The legislature has adopted a joint resolution honoring Captain Charles E. Clark, formerly of the United States warship Oregon, a native of Vermont, for the professional skill and heroic spirit exhibited in bringing his ship through the perils of the sea and a lurking foe to safety.

Transport St. Paul Returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—The United States transport St. Paul has arrived here, 37 days from Manila. She brought four prisoners from the Charleston, who will serve their sentences at Mare Island.

Old Woman Killed by Train.

ROME, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Mrs. Sarah Donovan, an old lady, while walking on the track, was struck and killed by a New York Central train here last night.

Fraternity Vs. Soap.

Lowdown—I hold that one man is just as good as another. Now, why do you object to my society? Is it because of my poverty?

Hilghup—No, sir.

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"No, sir."

"Because of my religion?"

"No, sir."

"Then why?"

"Because you smell bad."—N. Y. Weekly.

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It's the item of underwear, and more important, that we cannot be. This branch of our business receives extra attention and very fitting patronage. It is not an easy branch of retailing in which to attain prominence. There are few things in the dry goods line that are more staple. To offer better and better goods at lower and lower prices is to disturb foundations deeply set. Yet we have done and are doing it. The markets are watched vigilantly and eternally by our buyers. Our purchases are immense and come direct from the manufacturers—consequently the best goods, cheapest.

Here are some prices that carry their own teachings.

Men's Underwear

At 75c each of heavy all wool Camel Hair, well made and finished, elsewhere \$1.

At \$1 Each,

Men's heavy weight Camel Hair Underwear, silk finished and trimmed, elsewhere you pay \$1.35 for this quality.

At 25c Each,

Men's heavy double breasted Shirts, Drawers to match, real value 25c.

At 35c Each,

Men's grey or white Merino Underwear, made right and good goods, elsewhere 50c.

Women's Underwear.

Women's Vests and Drawers at 15c each, ribbed, good weight and worth 25c.

Women's Vests and Drawers

At 25c each, of winter weight, balbriggan, fleece lined, silk ribbon at neck, pearl buttons, value 35c.

Women's Vests and Drawers

At 75c, of gray camel hair, worth \$1.

Women's Vests and Drawers

At \$1, of great camel hair, pure white Llama wool or real medicated wool, worth \$1.35.

## Ladies' Jackets.

A Great Timely Bargain.

This is really an extraordinary offer for this time of the year. It concerns 50 very good tailor-made jackets. Every one has been in the drying the last ten days. Every one has been well made. Every one is lined throughout with fancy silk and good silk. Every one is a handsome and distinctive cloth, and in correct and effective style. There isn't a common place feature in the whole lot. Regular prices \$18.50, \$15 and \$20 each. YOUR CHOICE \$12.50 EACH. This would make good wearing in December or later. At the place of the coat buying season it is seasonal. The 50 coats will not last long.

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With the touch of cold weather, the fur store claims a buying. Furs, like horses and diamonds, must be bought either with knowledge or trust. It is well, then, to buy where you can buy in confidence. In this store you are surrounded with all the precautions that a life time of trading can suggest, and have a perfect guarantee in addition. Two special items mentioned here.

At \$1 Each,

Imitation Sable Neck Scarfs, circular shape, with 8 tails.

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Plain Electric Seal Collarettes, 9 inches deep, well made and lined, also.

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\$1.00 Blankets, per pair..... 75c

1.25 Blankets, per pair..... 95c

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\$1.00 Comfortables each..... 75c

1.75 Comfortable each..... 1.25

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## WEATHER INDICATIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 4.—Fair with rising temperature to-night and Saturday, fresh to brisk southerly winds.

## THE TEMPERATURE.

The following is the registry of the thermometer at Frost's drug store today:  
7 a. m. 38° 10 m. 62° 3 p. m. 60°.

Frederick A. Ward, of Brooklyn, one of the Republican candidates for Justice of the Supreme Court in this district, has been appointed by Governor Black to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge Van Wyck.

Under Democratic rule the city tax rate was reduced from \$25.82 in 1897 to \$20 this year, and no department of the city government suffered by the saving effected. The policy of strict economy that made possible this saving of over one-fifth will be continued if the Democratic city ticket is elected and Democrats continued in charge of city affairs.

If the Democratic candidates for members of the Board of Education are elected the control of that body will pass to Democratic hands. When that time comes there will be an end to star chamber methods. The Board will have no secrets which it will conceal from the public. Isn't it about time for a change? If you think so vote for Messrs. Case, McBair and Smiley.

City taxes in 1897 under Republican rule \$102,787; city taxes in 1898 under Democratic rule \$80,336. It's on that record and the pledge to continue the policy of economy that made the reduction possible that the Democratic party asks citizens who have the city's interests at heart to vote for Charles L. Elwood and the other candidates on the Democratic city ticket.

Unscrupulous Republican papers are trying to make a point against Edward Stocker, the Democratic candidate for County Treasurer, by saying that if elected he will move the office from Goshen to Newburgh. He will do nothing of the kind for the very excellent reason that the law requires that the office shall be kept in Goshen. A new yarn will have to be invented to stay the tide against the third term candidate.

J. E. Ward, the Democratic candidate for Member of Assembly in the First District, ought to receive a very large vote. He is a young man of the highest character, whose life is above reproach and above suspicion. He has been a close student of economic problems and is well informed on all public questions. If elected, he will prove a most competent legislator and will represent the district with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of all his constituents.

The Seventy-first Regiment voted yesterday at its armory in New York city. The result was two to one in Van Wyck's favor, the soldiers showing their resentment at their treatment by the War Department by voting against the Republican candidate. Roosevelt's insult to the national guardsmen, embodied in his false assertion, "one rough rider is as good as ten volunteers," was not forgotten, and doubtless cost him many votes.

George D. Wallace, the Democratic candidate for city treasurer, ought to be elected by a large majority. When war clouds threatened he promptly volunteered, and so long as there was a prospect of active services remained at his post of duty. He made many sacrifices, pecuniary and otherwise, when he responded to his country's call. He was an efficient officer, popular with his men, and watchful of their comfort. He made an excellent treasurer during the short time that he held the office before resigning to go to the front. He ought to be elected by a large majority.

Charlie Elwood's fitness makes it impossible for him to make a personal canvass, but he ought to lose no votes on that account. His Democratic and Republican friends are working diligently in his behalf, and citizens who know and appreciate his worth and his fitness for the office of Mayor, are taking an interest in his candidacy that they would not take if he were able to be on the streets fighting his own fight. The city is fortunate in having such a candidate as Mr. Elwood. He will make a most excellent Mayor—brave and true, always faithful to the people's interests and seeking only to do what is best for the city and all its people. Vote for him.

The cost of maintaining the city schools has enormously increased since the Board of Education was Republicanized. In 1891, the requirement was only \$14,122 and the average of the preceding eight years was about \$17-

000. This year, the requisition was \$31,875, exclusive of the amounts necessary to meet the principal and interest on the High School certificates of indebtedness. The Argus has not wish to cripple the schools in any way. It may be that they are run in the most economical manner possible, but in view of the enormous increase in the cost of our educational system in recent years and under Republican rule, wouldn't it be well to give the Democrats control of the School Board and let them see if they cannot introduce some of the economies that have saved the taxpayers so much money in other departments of the city government. Vote for Ira L. Case, Harry McBair and Dr. Smiley.

## THE CRISIS IN CHINA.

A Concerted Movement of Troops in the Vicinity of the Capital.

PEKIN, Nov. 4.—In spite of formal promises of the Chinese foreign office there is every indication of a concerted move of Chinese troops in the neighborhood of the capital.

It is said that Kang-Yi, a high Manch official who was next in rank to the late Prince Kung in the council of state, has obtained great influence over the Dowager Empress. He is bitterly anti-foreign and hopelessly conservative. It is probable that Kang-Yi was the suggestor of the direct re-establishing the bow and arrow exercise for Chinese soldiers. It is reported that Yuan-Shek-Hai, the Chinese general in command of foreign drilled troops at Tien-Tsin, an officer whose power is much dreaded by the Dowager Empress and her advisors, has received a grant of money, ostensibly for the purpose of increasing the strength of the division to 30,000 men. If time shows that the Dowager Empress can rely upon his fidelity, it has been said that Yuan-Shek-Hai might use his troops in conforming with views of the foreign ministers at Peking.

## THE PEACE COMMISSION.

No Ultimatum to Be Presented by the American Commission.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—A statement is printed here with much display, to the effect that at to-day's joint session of the peace commissioners the Americans will insist upon the complete surrender of Spain's sovereignty over the Philippine Islands, and that in the event of the Spanish commissioners refusing to agree to this, Judge Day, acting under instructions from Washington, will present an ultimatum to the Spaniards. It is further stated that this seeming haste is due to a desire to settle negotiations before the elections in the United States take place.

There is no truth in the statements made. No ultimatum is contemplated and there is no probability of such actors being taken by the Americans. The two commissions are now considering an open question and Americans expect to patiently weigh all points involved and to carefully consider the arguments of the Spaniards. The two commissions met at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The Americans were aware before the session opened that the Spaniards would decline their proposal made on Monday last.

## THE PHILIPPINE QUESTION.

PARIS, Nov. 4.—The *Gaulois* declares it has been informed that Spain will refuse to discuss the unconditional surrender of the Philippines. Spain, it is asserted, has made particular reserves concerning the retention of the Philippines and the Spanish Minister of Foreign Affairs, Duke Alodoyas de Rio, had himself stipulated at the time of signing the protocol that the Island of Luzon alone should remain occupied by American troops while the peace negotiations were in progress and that Spain would resume sovereignty over the archipelago as soon as a more liberal form of government for the islands should have been decided upon.

## THE "AMERICAN PIG" AGAIN.

MADRID, Nov. 4.—The *Imperial* says: "If the United States had shown in the protocol their intention to keep the Philippines the matter would not have taken the course it did. Spain has never considered the Philippines lost nor has she desired their loss. On the contrary, her intentions were shown by facing the anger of Germany on the question of the Caroline Islands. America by her conduct has lost her place among civilized people and henceforth will only count as the most numerous and opulent of herds."

## TRAFFIC ASSOCIATION TO BE DISSOLVED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4.—The Board of Control of the Joint Traffic Association decided, today, to dissolve the organization. This action was taken because of the recent decision by the Supreme Court of the United States that the efforts of the association to control railroad rates were illegal.

## TROOPS COMING HOME.

POPE, Nov. 4.—The transport *Roumanian* with the Third Illinois Regiment on board sailed yesterday for New York.

## POLITICAL NOTES.

—Democrats in the Third Ward should see that Geo. W. Galloway is elected to the Board of Supervisors. John E. Fosman is one of the men whose feet have claws which hold tight to the French. He is to be on the retired list and the Young Men's Republican Club is going to do its share toward relegating him to the rear.

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Kersey Overcoats, 4 to 16 yrs.,  
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—All a Mistake, at C. also, Nov. 9th.  
—Gold fish and aquaria at R. C. Turbill's.  
—Ingrain carpet 36c a yard at Matthews & Co.'s.  
—All kinds of hat pins at Crosby's.  
—Humphrey's Specialty at J. E. Evans' Mills.  
—Special sale on ribbon at Crosby's.  
—Daily butter 20c a pound at Trevelyan's.  
—Six bottles malt extract \$1 at McMonagle & Rogers.  
—Sausage 10c at Koch's.  
—Meat's cheap, Saturday, at Duxdale's.  
—Health restored by Dr. Miller's Service.  
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—Constipation cured by Cascarets.  
—For backache, Doan's Pills.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—All a Mistake at the Casino next Wednesday evening.

—Fresh salted almonds and peanuts at Luskari's, 34 North and 17 West Main streets.

—All a Mistake is being billed about town for next Wednesday evening. The paper is most excellent.

—Homeside candies of all kinds made daily at Luskari's, 34 North and 17 West Main streets.

—Mrs. McVane, who has been visiting her son, W. J. McVane, returned to New York, to-day.

—Water taxes are now being received by Clerk Merrill at the Water Commissioners' office in the Times building.  
—Wadhall Council, No. 92, Jr. O. U. A. M., gave four members the degrees of virtue, liberty and patriotism, Thursday night.

—Miss Lila Stewart has been asked to form a dancing class at Bloomingburgh, and she went to that place, to-day, to investigate.

—Watchmakers Culbert and Goldsmith, of New York, who are employed by Judson K. Wiggins, are hunting rabbits, to-day.

—Dominick Waizenegger fell on East avenue, Monday night, cutting his head badly. He is still confined to his room under the care of Dr. Collins.

—A milk wagon's rear wheel collapsed on North street, this morning, but the milk was not spilled nor the equanimity of the driver or a young lady beside him disturbed.

## PERSONAL.

—Charles B. Hulse is weaker, to-day.  
—Lewis Hedge, of Union Hill, N. J., is visiting his friends in this city.

—Walter Aird, who is at Thrall Hospital, shows improvement, to-day.

—Miss Walsh, of Crawford's millinery shop, is visiting in Orange, N. J.

—Mrs. Jones, of Bridgetown, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Shaw.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Potter, of Booneville, are guests of Postmaster Dayton.

—James F. Colwell and Chief Higham are hunting for rabbits near South Centreville, to-day.

—William Lybolt, of Omaha, a private in Co. E, Second Nebraska Volunteers, arrived in town, Thursday afternoon.

—Charles Waizenegger and daughter, or Ellenville, are in town to see Mr. W.'s father, Dominick Waizenegger, whom met with a severe injury Monday night.

—Mrs. J. C. Keck, of Middletown, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Tuttle, of this place, for the last few days, returned home, Thursday.—Port Jervis Gazette.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Crist, of Middletown, came over, Tuesday. \* \* \* Miss Nellie Burhaus has returned from a visit to Goshen and Middletown.—Ellenville Press.

—President Tierney has been unable to attend to his duties in the O. and W. north yard, for several days, owing to a swelling under his shoulder which has received a doctor's care.

—Charles L. Elwood is still confined to his home, a mild attack of quinsy having complicated his other troubles. He is better to-day, but it will be several days before he will be able to be out.

—Mr. and Mrs. Nate Hubbard, who have been residing in Port Jervis, are now stopping here, and may decide to take up a residence here. They have a host of friends who hope they may remain here.

## THE ELECTION BALLOTS.

The City's supply weighs 1,600 pounds and will be brought here to-morrow

City Clerk Taylor and Street Commissioner Wilcox will go to Goshen, to-morrow to receive eleven bundles of official ballots and eleven boxes of supplies, one for each election district, for use here, Tuesday. They will take a heavy double truck along with them and bring the load, weighing about 1,600 pounds. The ballots will be stored in the vault in the city engineer's office until they are needed.

The clerk will deliver them to the polling places at 5 a. m., Tuesday. The polls will open at 6 a. m., and close at 5 p. m.

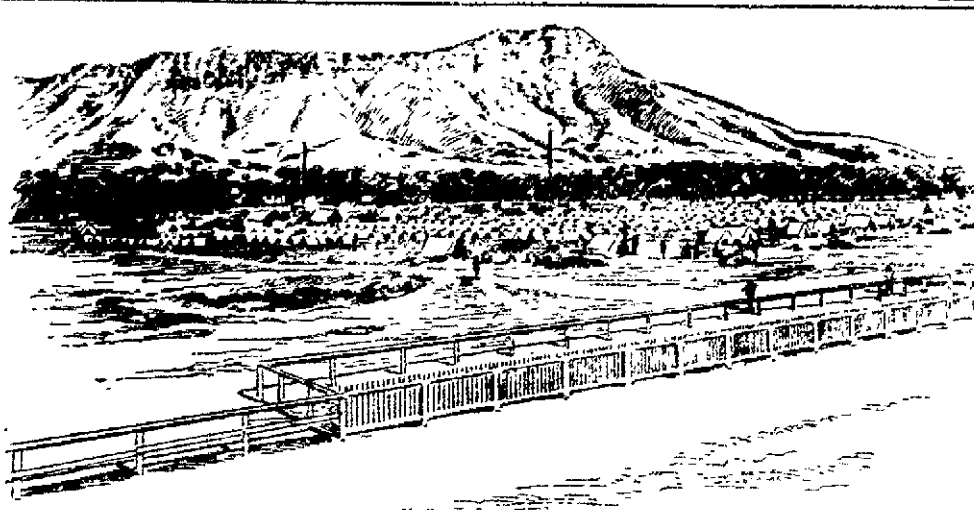
All election officers must be at the polls half an hour before the polls open. Some of the inspectors will have to be on hand at 5 to receive the ballots, however.

A Headless Rabbit? Seventy-five Yard Run.

Engineer Ross, of Greycourt, says that when hunting, a few days ago, he shot a rabbit at close range, blowing its head entirely off. A little thing like that did not, however, interfere with that rabbit for it ran at least seventy-five yards before the dogs caught it. If they hadn't overtaken it Mr. Ross believes that the headless rabbit would be running yet.

Suffocated in a Burning Hotel.

Marsden Holly, a son of Stephen Holly, of Huguenot, lost his life from suffocation in a fire, which destroyed the Needan House at Bayport, L. I., Monday night.



CAMP OF 1ST NEW YORK VOLUNTEERS AT HONOLULU. By courtesy of Poughkeepsie Sunday Courier.

## THE REPUBLICAN MEETING

Good Attendance, But Not Much Enthusiasm—The Young Republican Club's Parade—The Speakers and Their Speeches.

The Republicans held a meeting at the Casino, Thursday night, which gave about one thousand men, women and children an opportunity to hear Judge Tompkins and a nice old man named Fitch, who knew all about the civil war.

The enemy's blow out was opened by the parade of the avengers, or the Young Men's Republican Club. They formed on Centre street and headed by W. H. Walton, J. E. Gibbs, John D. Wood and Wm. Seelholzer, marched through Centre street to Depot to North to West Main to James and into the Casino, the 24th band playing away in the mean time as hard as it could.

Chairs had been placed on the stage for the youthful Republicans and bags and lithographs of "Teddy" and "Timmy" were hung from the rolled up asbestos curtain above them.

The seats in the body of the theatre were all taken when Daniel Finn, who presided, introduced Judge A. S. Tompkins, of Nyack, the Republican candidate for Congress. He spoke about himself and national issues, and when he had finished Mr. Finn set the nice old man, Mr. Fitch, from New York or Nevada, going. Then Judge Tompkins and "Lou" Goodell slipped off the stage and accompanied by Chas. L. Mead went to Port Jervis at 9:21, where they participated in a meeting there.

Mr. Fitch discussed the war of '62 comprehensively, a pleasant. He maligned Democrats and everything Democratic and was listened to with politeness. He stirred up about as much enthusiasm as Hisecock would have done, and if the Republicans can get any comfort, to-day, out of what occurred Thursday night at the Casino they are certainly welcome to it.

The band was forgotten by the avengers after they got on the stage and somebody escorted them to the back part of the balcony where they sweltered in semi-darkness while trying to play.

## BADLY FRIGHTENED WHEELWOMEN

A Naked Man Rose Up by the Roadside Near Goshen.

Two Middletown ladies, who were returning from Goshen on their wheels, Thursday afternoon, had an exciting and most disagreeable experience. When near the Orange County Milk Association's condenser, a naked man rose up by the roadside and began shouting at them. They bent over their pedals and scorching away so rapidly that the fellow was soon left far behind.

It is an open question in their minds whether the man was drunk or crazy. There must have been something wrong in his upper story or he would not have addressed in the open country on a November day. His clothes were lying in a heap close to the roadway.

## MR. HARRIMAN'S CONTRIBUTION

His Unsolicited Gift to the Volunteers' Relief Fund.

Seymour DeWitt, treasurer of the fund for the relief of families of members of Company I, First Regiment, N. Y. V., is in receipt of a cheque for the handsome amount of \$50 from E. H. Harriman, of Arden. It is a question if that gentleman will be pleased by the publication of the fact of his making this generous and patriotic contribution to this most worthy fund, nevertheless it affords the Arden's much pleasure to make the announcement.

## A Bridal Couple's Friends Waiting for Them.

When Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Townsend returned from their wedding trip, Thursday night, to occupy their furnished home on Bacon street, they found it already filled by friends and neighbors, who had prepared a delicious supper. Mr. Townsend is a well known O. and W. fireman.

## The West Point-Princeton Foot Ball Match.

The college boys old and young and the college girls and a good many others who like the game of foot ball are preparing to attend the game between Princeton and West Point on the latter's grounds, to-morrow. The special train on the O. and W. will leave at 1:50, fare \$1.00 round trip.

## A Game Dinner at Louis Bauer's.

Louis V. Bauer entertained about fifteen at a game dinner at his hotel at Phillipsburgh, Thursday night. Rabbits and ducks deliciously prepared by Mrs. Bauer and Miss Anna Bauer were served in generous quantities. The party was taken to the least in a side-wheeled omnibus, leaving here at 5:30.

## OBITUARY.

Mrs. Margaret M. Jamison.

Mrs. Margaret M. Jamison, widow of the late Alexander Jamison, died Saturday, Oct. 22, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alfred H. Wood, at Thompson Ridge, aged seventy-two years, six months and thirty days. The deceased had been a lifelong and consistent member of Graham's Church, and was of a very charitable disposition. Beside her daughter, with whom she lived, she is survived by one son, John, living near Pine Bush.

Floyd H. Reeves.

From Our Goshen Correspondent.

Floyd H. Reeves died at 11 o'clock, this morning, of peritonitis, aged sixty-one years. He was taken sick on Wednesday, and though it was known that his condition was critical, the news of his death was a sad surprise to this community, in which he had been a prominent citizen for many years.

Mr. Reeves was engaged in business here for about forty years. He began his business life with his father, the late Charles W. Reeves, and after his death, in September, 1865, succeeded to the business. About this time the firm of Reeves & Kelsey was formed which has continued up to the present time.

In February, 1863, Mr. Reeves was married to Christine Cowdrey, of Warwick, who survives him, as do two daughters, Hattie, wife of Widmot MacKen, of near this village, and Clara, at home. There is also an adopted daughter, Cora. A brother, Coe Reeves, of New York, and a sister, Mrs. Ella Ditts, of Nebraska, also survive.

Mr. Reeves was for many years a trustee of the Methodist Church and took an active interest in church work. He was first vice president of the Goshen Savings Bank and was at all times a public spirited and progressive citizen, who will be widely missed.

The funeral will be held Monday.

## THE SOLDIERS' VOTING LAW.

Attorney General Hancock Tries to Reconcile Its Absurdities—Two sessions of the supervisors necessary.

City Clerk Taylor has received an answer to the letter which he sent to the Attorney General, October 24, in regard to the soldiers' election law, which states that votes shall be counted on the sixth Tuesday after election and canvassed on the sixth Thursday after election, the latter coming five days before the former. The Attorney General says:

The law does not intend an absurdity. And it is the plain intent of the legislature, as manifested in this act, that the Board of County Canvassers shall convene on the Thursday following the "sixth Tuesday after the election day," nevertheless, as the Board of Canvassers are directed to meet on the sixth Thursday after the day of election, it is plainly their duty to do so; and as there will be no votes to canvass, they may adjourn to a certain day following the sixth Tuesday after election, and then canvass the returns which may come to them from the inspectors of election; such adjournment should be the Thursday following the sixth Tuesday.

Very respectfully,

THEO. E. HANCOCK.

## The Needs of the Grier Family supplied.

A benevolent gentleman of this city, who knew of the needs of the Grier family and who has interested himself in their behalf, has collected a large quantity of clothing, food, etc., sufficient for all their present necessities, which he took to the afflicted family, this afternoon.

## A Wagon Wrecked in a Runaway.

One of Gordon & Horton's delivery horses took a lively run down a Monahan avenue, last evening. The wagon collided with a big maple tree near the Wallkill Hat Works and was badly wrecked. The horse and driver escaped serious injury.

## Soldiers' Fortunate Extended.

Dr. W. E. Douglas received, Thursday, a telegram from the War Department extending for thirty days the furloughs of Fred D. Sealand and Clem D. Atkins. Mr. Sealand is still at Thrall Hospital. Mr. Atkins has gone to his home at Liberty to recruit.

## Good Templars' Installation.

Clarence T. Conkling, lodge deputy, installed the recently elected officers of Excelsior Lodge, No. 413, I. O. G. T., Thursday night, at their rooms.

## Not a Quarter.

But just 10 cents, and forty doses in a vial of Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills. No pain, pleasure in every dose—little, but awfully good. Cure sick headache, constipation, biliousness, nausea, sallow skin.

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### To Honor a Dead Soldier's Memory.

When the body of Sidney A. Schofield, the Fishkill soldier, who was killed at Santiago, reaches that village, there will be a good demonstration in honor of the dead hero. Stores will close, business will be suspended, firemen and other organizations will parade, and the body will be buried with military honors. The body is being brought home by Tompkin House Co., of which the deceased was a member.

### More Election Net.

The \$100 which was left at the Angus office to be placed on Van Wyck, was covered by a well known Republican enthusiast Thursday night.

There is still another \$100 of Van Wyck money that Roosevelt backers are here of by eating at this office.

### What Do the Children Drink?

Don't give them tea or coffee. Have you tried the new food drink called GRAIN-O? It is delicious and nourishing and takes the place of coffee. The more GRAIN-O you give the children the more health you distribute through their systems. GRAIN-O is made of pure grains, and when properly prepared tastes like the choice grades of coffee but costs about one-fourth as much. All grocers sell it. 15c and 25c.

## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

### INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN TOWN.

A Boy's Bicycle Tamed a Milkman.

Lots of Trouble—Preparatory Service.

An Improvement—St. John's Church Fair.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Milkman George Stull sustained considerable damage, this morning, as a result of a boy's mischievousness. After he had started with a loaded wagon of milk the wheels came off, the iron lugs having been unscrewed. The wagon toppled over and the glass windows were smashed and other damage resulted.

Preparatory communion services will be held in the Presbyterian Church, to-night.

The residence of the Misses Moore is being repainted.

Miss Bertha Samuels is visiting in Newburgh.

St. John's fair will open, to-morrow night.

## STOPPED THE TRAIN.

### How the Signal Whistle on an O. and W. Train was Sounded.

Employees of the O. and W. are laughing over an incident which occurred a night or two ago. While a train was between Fallsburgh and Centreville the signal whistle in the engine was blown three times. The engineer stopped his engine at Centreville and several minutes were lost while the conductor and engineer argued as to whether the signal was given. After investigation it was found that a passenger had hung his overcoat on the whistle cord.

## Eric Freight Cars Robbed.

Two freight cars standing in the upper end of the Port Jervis yard, one loaded with flour and the other with middlings, were forced open, Wednesday night, and a barrel of flour and four bags of middlings were stolen. By virtue of a search warrant the flour was discovered in a barn on the Sparrowbush road. This robbery and the Parker's Glen robbery have been assigned to Detective Feldman for investigation.

## A Petition for the Return of the First Regiment.

A petition to the War Department for the mustering out of the First Volunteer Regiment, now at Honolulu, is being circulated among the families of the soldiers by Mrs. T. W. Davey. She has no trouble in getting signers.

## A Birthday Celebration.

To-day is the birthday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Keener, and the D. F. B. Club, of which Mrs. Keener is a prominent member, will help the couple celebrate it this afternoon and evening at their home No. 37 Broad street.

## A Fifty-Year Old Prescription Book.

Ogden & Shimer display a book of prescriptions which is fifty years old and which was the first book in use in that pharmacy. The ink is remarkably clear and distinct.

## A Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Darius Fancher, of Warwick, celebrated the fortieth anniversary of their wedding, Thursday by holding a family reunion. Dr. Edwin Sayer and Clinton W. Fancher, sons who reside in this city, attended.

## In the Social World.

Mrs. J. C. May entertained, Thursday afternoon, in honor of her friend, Mrs. Gregg, of Bennington, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chas. Schwartz entertained about eighty-five ladies and gentlemen at whist, at their commodious home on South street, Thursday night. The favors were boutonnieres.

## Real Estate Sales.

Real Estate Agent A. B. Wilbur has sold for the Elizabeth Miller estate the house and lot No. 41 John street to Druggist J. J. Chambers.

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Clothier and Merchant Tailor,

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